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Notice To Delinquents Water and Light Town of Marlinton

By order of Council entered July 2, 1923, all persons delinquent on payments for Water and Light of date, JULY 15, 1923, that SUIT will be instituted to COLLECT all such delinquent ACCOUNTS.

Frank King, Sergeant.

FAIR NOTES

John Bessling, landscape gardener, has been busy the past few weeks trimming the trees and shrubbery and putting things in shape generally at the Fair Grounds. It is just surprising the difference in appearance a few dollars will make when expended for a man who knows how to tidy things up.

Three head of race horses and their trainer arrived from Clarksburg last Thursday, and are now at the Fair Grounds getting in shape for the Fair next month. This begins to look like business.

A lot of painting and white washing is being done on the Fair buildings, and much gravel is being spread on the walks. It has also been decided to put a floor in the stands under the grandstand.

Satisfactory progress is being made by contractor E. D. King on the Poultry and Agricultural buildings. Heretofore tents have been used to house these exhibits, and the tents were both expensive and unsatisfactory.

The 1923 Fair catalog is now being distributed. As it was printed in The Times office, it may not be very good taste to write too much about it in these notes. But it is a home product anyway. And lots of folks have been kind enough to say some mighty nice things about it. The Fair is a Pocahontas enterprise, maintained by home people for the purpose of developing our county and whenever and wherever it is possible so to do, home workers and home industries are patronized.

It fell to this writer's lot to have mailed out the catalogs to the six hundred and more stockholders of the Fair. If you don't believe that is a bunch of folks, come in and we'll show you the list. That bunch can move anything by cooperation, and that is the key to the success which has made the Pocahontas County Fair the leading fair of the State.

Six forty-five o'clock a. m. six days in the week sees S. B. Wallace, president of the Fair, on his way to the Fair Grounds to line out his workers for the day. There is a considerable sermon in this, and is not hard to think it out either. Mr. Wallace is on no salary, and he has no more invested in it than the rest of us. It is a public work, and his heart is in it. And then, too, he has to go some if he keeps in front of his board and department heads in interest and enthusiasm.

Of course the editor is just naturally supposed to back and boost things that develop and help the community. He is not supposed to know any better, or he would be in a business that held promise of financial gain commensurate with the energy and agony required to get out a paper each week, or pursue a calling that assures a place of honor in the esteem of his fellow man. What we started out to say that it is certainly refreshing to see the busy men of the county devoting their time and energy toward making the Fair successful. Their hearty cooperation and keen rivalry to see that their departments are in order and their exhibitions are of the highest possible standard.

And now a word to the shareholders. The success of any corporation is in proportion to the cooperation of its stockholders. More especially is this true in an enterprise of a public nature. When you as a shareholder of the Fair Company think of something that should be done, or anything that is being done wrong, you are not doing your duty unless you write the Pocahontas Fair, Inc., Marlinton, and give the management the benefit of your suggestions and observations. Don't tell the other fellow, but pass it along first hand to the management, and thus show your cooperative spirit in making this the greatest County Fair. We have a greater number of stockholders than any other similar institution in the world, and why should we not have the best Fair? Watch us grow as we work together.

Anyone having a nice horse either

ACCIDENT AT THE TANNERY

A very distressing accident occurred at the Tannery at this place last Saturday resulting in the death of Meri Irvine, a son of Levi Irvine, near Warwick.

The deceased was employed in outside work around the tannery and at the time of his injury he was working with Sandy Mann first feeding bark into the hopper. That work having been completed, they went to the work of moving hundred pound bags of myraholan nuts from the shed where they were stored to the leach house elevator from whence the elevator would take them to the third floor. An elevator load is ten bags. The load was put on with the help of wheelbarrows and was ready to be hoisted, when the deceased with young Mann got on the elevator and relinquished their wheelbarrows to other workmen. Young Irvine started the elevator by pulling a cable which shifted the belt and the elevator started on its slow climb to the third floor.

It would seem that then Irvine crossed over to another side of the elevator and went to a screen guard across that side which is something over six feet high, and pulled himself up to the top of this screen wall so that his chin projected over a few inches, so that the top of his head struck some part of the elevator shaft as the ascent continued and the pressure broke his chin against the top of the guard which had been put on the elevator expressly as a safety device. The elevator did not stop but his companion saw that he was horribly injured. The unfortunate lad was unable to speak, his mouth throat and chin having been so badly crushed, but he was able to walk to the office, and from there he was taken to the hospital. He had also suffered a fracture of the skull, and he died on Sunday morning.

Much sympathy has been expressed for the untimely fate of a bright and industrious boy and for the bereaved parents and family.

harness or saddle class suitable for entry in the horse show at the Pocahontas Fair, will find it very beneficial to bring him in to the fair farms where he will be cared for and handled by an expert trainer at a very reasonable rate.

An automobile party from Lexington ate a picnic dinner at the Fair Grounds one day this week and enjoyed the fine bathing facilities. Picnic parties from near points are daily taking advantage of this fine public playground.

John Jackson, Sr., a Confederate Veteran, is living at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Hattie Mace, on the Old Field Fork of Elk River. He is 88 years old, well preserved in mind and body. Always an active worker, he gets about easily and light on his feet. At the beginning of the war he went out with the Lexington Va. Company and as member of the Fifth Va. Infantry fought the war through.

James Tilling, veteran of the war in South Africa and the World War, is in Marlinton for a short visit. He has lately been cooking at a camp on Williams River. In 1914 he was in Pocahontas County cooking in the camps. He went home to fight and served four years in the British armies a member of the Yorkshires.

The 87th birthday of Mrs. Anna L. Price occurred Sunday July 15, 1923. She attended both Sunday School and church that day. The event was celebrated by a dinner at the home of Dr. N. R. Price at which her four sons were present, Dr. J. W. Price, Andrew Price, Dr. N. R. Price and C. W. Price, her daughters are Dr. Susie A. Price and Mrs. Anna V. Hunter.

Waugh Brothers, road builders, have recently been awarded two big contracts for road construction by the Fayette County Court.

Sunday School attendance last Sunday: Methodists, 200; Presbyterian 142; Campbelltown 90.

OUT WEST

W. H. Yeager, of Cheyenne, Wyoming, sends us a copy of the Wyoming State Tribune and Leader, in which appear the following news items of Pocahontas people:

Prominent among the society events of the week was a dinner, of beautiful arrangements, given at 6 o'clock Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Yeager, at their attractive home on Central avenue. The affair was a compliment to relatives visiting here from the East, and was, in reality, a delightful reunion of Wyoming and Eastern branches of the Yeager family.

A basket of garden flowers adorned the table, at which covers were laid for fourteen including Dr. P. D. Arbogast, Merie, Hoyt and Gray Arbogast, and Lloyd Smith, of Morgantown, W. Va., Mrs. Andrew Drezel of Laramie, Mr. and Mrs. Roselle Burner and Rosalie Burner, Jr., Dr. Clyde Y. Beard and Mrs. Beard, Miss Edith Yeager, Messrs. Myron and Warren Yeager and the gracious hosts.

Two large automobiles left Friday morning for a day in Estes park. In the party were Dr. P. D. Arbogast, Messrs. Merie, Hoyt and Gray Arbogast, and Lloyd Smith of Morgantown, W. Va., visiting at the Walter Yeager home. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burner and their house guest, Mrs. Andrew Drezel of Laramie, Mrs. Louise Gladwell, Dr. Clyde Y. Beard and Mrs. Beard, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yeager. They plan to take luncheon at the Stanley.

Dr. P. D. Arbogast and three sons, Merie, Hoyt and Gray Arbogast and Lloyd Smith, all of Morgantown, W. Va., are visiting for a few days with relatives in Cheyenne. Dr. Arbogast is a brother-in-law of Rosalie E. Burner and a cousin of Dr. Clyde Y. Beard and Walter H. Yeager of this city. The party is traveling by automobile and at the conclusion of the Cheyenne visit, will leave for Los Angeles, later touring Oregon, Washington and Yellowstone National park.

HUMAN NATURE

Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi said in a Washington address: "I am an optimist, but at the same time I always remember that human nature is human nature. Some optimists don't."

Judge Dallas Sanderson remarked learnedly to a jury in the midst of a case he was trying one morning: "Gentlemen of the jury, I would have you bear in mind that a witness may contradict himself without being a liar or having any intention of committing perjury. I, for example, would have sworn when I entered the court this morning that I had my watch in my vest pocket; but now I recall that I left it lying on the chiffonier in my room at home."

"Well, when the Judge arrived home that evening, his wife said to him:

"Dallas dear, what in the world made you so silly about that watch of yours sending eight or nine men for it?"

"Eight or nine men?" gasped Judge Sanderson. Goodness gracious! What did you do?"

"Why, of course," his wife answered, "I gave it to the first man who called for it."

DURBIN

Children's Day at the M. E. Church South was a fine success. All the children did well.

S. H. Hiner has moved into the Dr. P. D. Arbogast house which he recently purchased.

William Stone has moved into the Hiner building.

W. W. Galford of Wesley Chapel neighborhood was visiting J. L. Hudson over Sunday.

F. B. Gragg's son returned from the hospital Saturday. He had been operated for appendicitis.

H. M. Widney has returned from a trip to Boston.

Mrs. Sam Williams of Morgantown, is visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. C. K. Livesay and children of Marlinton, visited her sister, Mrs. C. R. Beard, here last week.

Glenn Wonders of Morgantown, has been with his brother, C. B. Wonders, the past week.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Austin Nottingham, at eleven o'clock a. m. July 4, 1923, when Miss Ula Nottingham became the wife of Benny Moore. A large number of relatives and friends were present. After the ceremony a bountiful dinner was served. They received many presents. The young couple will make their home at Nottingham, where Mr. Moore has a job of sawing for the North Fork Lumber Co.

Over in Highland county a little son of S. B. Rexrode was so severely bitten by a ground hog as to require the attention of a physician. The Recorder says that the family dog tossed the groundhog so close to the little boy that it bit him on the leg below the knee.

Married, at the Manse, Marlinton, Monday, July 16, 1923, Hubert Bernard Slaven and Miss Jessie Edith Holesapple, Rev. H. H. Orr, officiating minister. These are popular young people of Marlinton.

There will be singing at West Union the first Sunday afternoon in August at two o'clock. Everybody is invited to come and help in this good work.

Dr. J. E. Flow is holding a series of meetings at Mary's Chapel on Elk. He has with him as song leader, Miss McAlphie, a daughter of a missionary to Japan.

DIED

Clyde Faulkner died on Saturday, July 14, 1923, at Marlinton, after an illness of several weeks duration, aged 28 years 7 months and 6 days. Burial on Monday afternoon at Mt. View Cemetery, after services at the Methodist church conducted by Rev. J. H. Billingsley. The burial was in charge of the order of Modern Woodmen.

The deceased was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkner, of Marlinton. He is survived by his parents, his wife and their two small children, and a number of brothers and sisters, among them being Guy R. Faulkner and Mrs. C. C. Riley. Mr. Faulkner was a hard working citizen, a consistent christian and a member of the Methodist Church.

BEAR ATTACKS STEER

The Highland Recorder says that John and Arch Rivercomb and other Highland citizens were camping on North River recently, and were aroused by stampeding cattle. Hearing a steer bawl in the woods nearby they went to it and found a two year old steer being eaten alive by an immense black bear. Upon the approach of the men the bear growled, but went of reluctantly. The steer had a hole torn in his shoulder as big as a nail keg.

FROM HIGHLAND RECORDER

Mrs. Susan Crummett is visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. F. White at Minnehaha Springs.

Ers. W. E. Gum of Monterey was notified last Friday of the death of her sister, Mrs. Robert Maltby, at her home in Cumberland, Md on her arrival it was learned that Mrs. Maltby had fallen down the stairway sustaining injuries from which a blood clot on the brain had resulted, causing her death on Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor of Dunmore, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sydenstricker and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Slaven of Marlinton, W. Va., motored to Highland Saturday, spending the night in McDowell and greeting old friends in Monterey as they returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McKeever announce the marriage of their daughter Mary Lynette to Mr. Everette M. Curtis on Wednesday the twenty-seventh of June nineteen hundred and twenty three, Ashland, Kentucky. At home after July sixteenth, 2544 Third Avenue, Huntington, West Virginia.

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MARLINTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Harvey H. Orr, Pastor.
C. M. Hanna, Assistant
Sunday School 9:45
11:00 a. m. Preaching by pastor
"God's Desires"

11:00 a. m. Preaching at Lower Church, Buckeye, Rev. C. M. Hanna
3:00 p. m. Preaching at Green Hill School house by Rev. H. H. Orr
7:15 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor
8:00 p. m. "The Choice of Moses"
by C. M. Hanna

Prayer meeting at Swago Church Thursday night at 8 o'clock by C. M. Hanna.

Prayer meeting at Hannah School house on Bucks Run Friday night at 8 o'clock, by C. M. Hanna.

Services at the Episcopal Church Sunday night at 8 o'clock.
G. J. Cleaveland.

MARLINTON METHODIST CHURCH

J. Herndon Billingsley, Pastor.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
A. S. Overholt, Supt.

11:00 a. m. Preaching, Subject—"Revival Wanted"

Epworth League 7 p. m.
Preaching 7:45 p. m. Subject—"Revival Realized"

Prayer and praise meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45.
Cordial welcome to all

SEEBERT CHARGE, M. E. SOUTH

R. O. Hipes, Pastor.

11:00 a. m. Preaching at Seebert Epworth League 7:15 p. m.

3:30 p. m. Preaching at Trinity Chapel
8:00 p. m. Preaching, as Marvin Chapel

All are welcome.

WESLEY CHAPEL, M. E. SOUTH

Hillsboro, West Virginia
W. Clark Early, Pastor.

9:45 a. m. Sunday School
F. P. Kidd, Superintendent

11:00 a. m. Sermon: "The Call to Preach"

3:30 p. m. Preaching at Sharon.
8:00 p. m. Epworth League.

CARD OF THANKS

We are unable to express in words our appreciation for the kindness, help, and sympathy shown us in the sickness, death and burial of our husband, son and brother, Clyde W. Faulkner. Especially the pastor, doctors, nurses, those staying with the sick child, for the flowers, for the friends, for everything. May the Good Father bless you every one.
Mrs. Faulkner and the Faulkner families.

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SATURDAY—Marion Davies in "Enchantment". Many claim it the equal of "When Knighthood Was In Flower" with same star and director.

Added Attraction: Bob Turpin in "Step Forward"

(This picture will be run at Cass Theatre Friday)

NEXT WEEK—"The Woman In His House" Viola Dana in "They Like Them Rough" Thomas Melghan in "Cappy Ricks"

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BACK FROM FAYETTE

Mrs. A. L. Woodell, of Cass, returned from a five weeks' stay with her sons in Fayette County—Grover C. and Frank and Crawfold. She was accompanied by her grand daughter, Miss Georgia Woodell, of Marlinton. She brings the good news that her son Frank, who was so desperately ill last winter, is fast recovering his usual good health.

Mrs. Woodell took in the Billy Sunday revival at Beckley, at which the churches were recruited by more than fourteen hundred additional members. She thinks Dr. Sunday one grand preacher.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Truman Mace, on Elk, July 9, a daughter.

Notice

We have a lot of young fat chickens to sell. Reasonable prices. We will buy your young chickens, if they are poor or fat, will be all right.

Marlinton Poultry Yard
Marlinton, W. Va.

MARLINTON LIES, BUT INHABITANTS DO NOT

To the Editor of the Telegram—Sir: Being on my summer vacation I am sending you from this place my next Sunday's church notice for publication.

I wonder how many thousands of dollars the farmers of West Virginia lose yearly by leaving their machinery exposed to the weather the year round or by storing the stuff in leaky sheds? Marlinton lies mostly on the western side of the Greenbrier river, but Andy Price, the capable editor of the Times, says that the inhabitants lie on neither side, as Democrats go Andy ought to be believed.

The other evening a homely native and I ran up to the Minnehaha Springs ten miles away where nine elk and ourselves saw one another with evidences of mutual interest.

I would like to tell you of Judge Summers Sharp's rise from obscurity to power and influence, of the county that has a frost in it every day in the year, of a town where the people go to church every Sunday—or ashing, and of several fine bass which I failed to induce to bite my lizard-baited hook this morning.

Off to Virginia at 5 a. m. tomorrow.
Yours truly,
N. L. G. ANDERSON,
Marlinton.—Clarksburgh Telegram.



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